

Annual Report
OF THE
Town Officers
TO THE CITIZENS OF
Stark, = N. H.
FOR THE YEAR ENDING
February 15,
1895.



GROVETON, N. H.:
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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

The Selectmen of Stark submit the following report for the year ending Feb. 15, 1895:

VALUATION.

Resident real estate		\$151,938	
Non-resident real estate		20,916	
Mills and machinery		25,200	
Stock in trade		53,232	
Money on hand on interest or deposit		2,806	
Stock in banks and other corporations		2,076	
		<hr/>	\$256,168
Number of polls	255	\$25,500	
" " horses	239	12,737	
" " oxen	21	844	
" " cows	233	4,274	
" " other neat stock	79	1,032	
" " sheep	422	1,065	
		<hr/>	\$45,452
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			\$301,620

ASSESSMENTS.

State tax	\$555 00	
County tax	1,237 40	
School as per vote of town	400 00	
School as per statute	444 00	
Current expense	1,500 00	
Highways and bridges	754 05	
For the repairs of school houses	250 00	
Town library	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$5,190 45
Overlay		85 95
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		\$5,276 40

Rate of taxation was \$1.75 on \$100.

EXPENDITURES.

D P Shanahan clerk	\$20 00
Richard R Cole treasurer	30 00
Seth Cole selectman	65 00
Joseph Montgomery selectman	40 00
Milton I Cole selectman	35 00
Andrew Jackson supervisor	6 00
Archie M Soule "	4 00
Richard R Cole "	4 00
H A Jackman member of school board	10 00
Charles A Cole " " " "	15 00
Tappan D Blake " " " "	33 05
D P Shanahan librarian	20 00
C A Cole collector for collecting \$5,217.72, 01 1-2	78 17
State tax	555 00
County tax	1,237 40
On town library books	110 33
Highway by C A Cole agent	787 07
Town notes	996 58
School money	1,440 00
School books and supplies	142 44
School house repairs	250 00
County pauper bill	275 39
Bounty on hawks	2 50
" " bear	5 00
For return of births and deaths	14 00
C A Cole collector for 1894 land sold for taxes bid in by town	39 74
Expense Plaisted injunction	54 40
Labor repairing building and painting cemetery fences	100 41
Material for above fences	123 06
Current expenses	160 62
Abatements	141 39
Outstanding orders	50
Fighting fires up Roberts' brook	31 00
Goods furnished C H Greenleaf in sickness to be re- funded	10 00
Abatements made by selectmen for land sold for taxes prior to 1891 as per old report	473 33
A L Watson printing town report	10 00

Archie M Soule auditor	\$1 00
Cash in treasury Feb 15 1895	66 03
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	\$7,387 41

RECEIPTS.

Cash in treasury Feb 15 1894	\$54 93
Coos county pauper bill	539 46
C A Cole collector redemption of land sold for taxes and bid in by town	162 42
State treasurer railroad tax	156 89
“ “ savings bank tax	338 37
“ “ literary fund	229 87
“ “ hawk bounty refunded	2 50
“ “ bear “ “	5 00
Hall rent	4 50
Licenses on dogs	81 40
License to sell goods	2 00
Liquor and beer fines	93 77
Lucian Damon money refunded for supplies furnished	6 50
E N Harvey old cemetery fence	2 00
Seth Cole old cemetery fence paint and wire	2 75
E Hickey estate for cemetery lot	8 00
J W Hickey for cemetery lot	6 00
Abatements for land sold for taxes prior to 1891	473 33
C A Cole collector for 1891	29 61
“ “ “ “ 1892	37 81
“ “ “ “ 1893	1,338 80
“ “ “ “ 1894	3,811 50
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	\$7,387 41

DEBTS.

Notes:	
Emeline Stilson	\$562 00
John V Miles	1,000 00
“ “ “	200 00
Mrs Lovina Potter	300 00
Freeman Miles	500 00
“ “	500 00
School money unexpended	160 79
Town library “	26 17
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	\$3,248 96

ASSETS.

Benjamin Thompson estate	\$327 04
G M Smith old tax list	9 94
“ “ tax list for 1887 and 1888	27 20
C A Cole “ “ “ 1892	40 49
“ “ “ “ “ 1893	168 07
“ “ “ “ “ 1894	1,467 33
Due from Coos county pauper bill	15 00
G M Stevens & Son insurance to be re- funded from the People's Co	12 38
C A Cole collector for 1891 due for land sold for taxes bid by town	15 47
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Charles H Greenleaf cemetery lot	5 00
“ “ “ goods furnished in sick- ness to be refunded	10 00
Amount secured by deed J W Perkins' place taxes for 1890	29 62
Amount secured by deed Henry Houghton place taxes for 1890	6 99
C D Abbott cemetery lot	2 00
James M Dodge cemetery lot	6 00
	<hr/> \$2,238 78
Total liabilities Feb 15 1895	\$3,248 96
“ assets Feb 15 1895	2,238 78
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Amount of debt Feb 15 1895	\$1,010 18
“ “ “ “ 1894	1,226 28
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Reduction of debt for the year	\$216 10
Add the amount abated prior to 1891, it would make a re- duction of \$689.43.	

Respectfully submitted
 SETH COLE,
 JOSEPH MONTGOMERY, } Selectmen
 MILTON I COLE, } of
 Stark.

Have examined the above accounts and found them correct.

ARCHIE M SOULE, Auditor.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

Cash in treasury	\$54 93
Selectmen	2,033 36
Town Clerk	81 40
C A Cole collector principal	5,198 82
" " " interest	18 90
Total receipts	<hr/> \$7,387 41

PAYMENTS.

State tax	\$555 00
County tax	1,237 40
School money	1,440 00
Highway	787 07
Salary of school board	58 05
School books and supplies	142 44
Miscellaneous expenses	3,101 42
Total payments	<hr/> \$7,321 38
Cash in treasury Feb 15 1895	66 03
	<hr/> \$7,387 41

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD R COLE, Treasurer.

Have examined above account and find it correctly cast.

ARCHIE M SOULE, Auditor.

SCHOOL REPORT.

SPRING TERM.

SCHOOLS.	TEACHERS.	WEEKS.	AMOUNT.
Graded High	Mabel Keazer	10	\$60 00
“ Primary	Minnie F Ordway	10	50 00
Plain	May E Nay	10	40 00
Percy	Daisy Elliott	10	50 00
Number 2	Diantha A Robbins	10	40 00
Crystal	Susie M Vincent	10	40 00
Number 4	Emily G Coffin	9	36 00

FALL TERM.

Graded High	Mabel Keazer	16	100 00
“ Primary	Minnie F Ordway	16	80 00
Plain	Diantha A Robbins	16	64 00
Number 2	Josie E Potter	7	28 00
“ “	Clara E Russ	8	32 00
Crystal	Fannie J Tucker	16	80 00
Number 4	Tinnie Wheeler	8	32 00
“ “	Frank L Blake	8	40 00
Percy	Daisy M Elliott	16	80 00

	\$852 00
Paid for board	364 00
“ “ wood	52 00
Miscellaneous	181 30

\$1,449 30

RECEIPTS.


Town treasurer	\$1,440 00
School “ for 1893	21 46
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School money remaining in hands of treasurer of school board Feb 15 1895	\$12 16
School money remaining in hands of town treasurer Feb 15 1895	160 79

Respectfully submitted
CHARLES A COLE, Treasurer School Board.

Examined and found correct.

ARCHIE M SOULE, Auditor.



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To the Selectmen of Stark, N. H.:

In accordance with an Act of the Legislature passed June Session, 1887, requiring clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of record of Births, Marriages and Deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual report, I hereby submit the following,
D. P. SHANAHAN Town Clerk.

BIRTHS REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1894.

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VITAL STATISTICS--CONTINUED.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1894.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Name of Father.	Birthplace of Father	Occupation.	Condition*	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Mar. 1	Stark	Ervin J Cole	Stark	33	W	Farmer	Stark	Luke Cole	Stark	Farmer		Daniel Roberts J P
April 5	Groveton	Fannie E Cole	"	22	W	Housemaid	"	Seth Cole	"	"		J H Trow C
Mar. 22	Groveton	Lester M Cole	"	40	W	Cook	"	Luke Cole	"	"		J H Trow C
Mar. 23	Groveton	Clara B Wambolt	"	24	W	Housemaid	Nova Scotia	C Wambolt	Stark	Laborer		Geo F Marshall C
May 21	N Stratford	Wm Potter	"	23	W	Laborer	Stark	Horace Potter	Stark	Farmer		J H Trow C
June 9	Groveton	Georgie Smith	"	18	W	Housemaid	Canada	Woodman Smith	Canada	"		J H Trow C
June 18	Groveton	Hevia Turcotte	"	21	W	Laborer	"	Hevia Lucotte	Nova Scotia	"		I H Trow C
Aug. 4	Stark	Mary Foshie	"	26	W	Housemaid	Nova Scotia	Xevis Letamian	Stark	Laborer		O W Bryant C
Sept. 19	Groveton	Elsworth Wambolt	"	26	W	Laborer	Stark	Chas Wambolt	Stark	Farmer		J H Trow C
Oct. 8	Groveton	Ida Tripp	"	20	W	Housemaid	"	Geo S Blake	Stark	Farmer		J H Trow C
Nov. 5	Stark	Joseph W Lunn	"	34	W	Brakeman	Woodstock Me	Nelson J Cole	Stark	Blacksmith		A D Ellingwood J P
		Susie P Cole	Bryants Pond	20	W	Trackman	Stark	Elong C Whitman	Stark	Lumberman		W T Pike J P
		Mrs Alma Hickey	Stark	20	W	Housekeeper	Dummer	C R Rich	Oreno Me	Famer		
		Simeon R Veasie	"	40	W	Laborer	Veazie Me	Michael Hickey	Milton Me	"		
		Jennie E McHarg	"	41	W	School T'ach'r	Milton Me	Summer Sessions	Canada	"		
		John A Hickey	"	26	W	Laborer	Stark	Jas Brooks	Stark	"		
		Jennie Sessions	"	16	W	Housemaid	"	Samuel Robbins	"	"		
		Joseph Brooks	"	64	W	Farmer	"	"	"	"		
		Lucy McFarlane	"	58	W	Housekeeper	"	"	"	"		

VITAL STATISTICS.

DEATHS REGISTERED FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1894.

Date of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.		Place of Birth.	Sex & Con.			Occupation.	Name of Father.	Maiden name of Mother.	Disease or Cause of Death.	
		Years.	Months.		Days.	Male.	Female.					Single, or wid.
Aug. 15	Mary A Cole	50	11		Stark	F	M		Richard T Boyce	Johannah Banfield	Dropsy	
Jan. 20	Persis Keith	81			"	F	W		Edmund Cole	Julia Rowell	Softening of the Brain	
20	Zoa A Abbott	31			"	F	M		Wm Jackson	Amanda Cole	Peritonitis	
Feb. 25	Nancy Wentworth	77			"	F	M		Daniel Rowell	Mehitable Smith	Pneumonia	
1	Alexander Wentworth	66			Lancaster	M	M		Alexander Wentworth	Anne Rowell	Cerebro Spinal Meningetis	
Mar. 19	George E Warcup	9			Stark	M	C		Hugh Warcup	"	"	
20	Clara M Warcup	5	13		"	F	C		Wm Cumberland	Lizzie Cowing	Consumption	
22	Myra H Hickey	20	5		Maine	F	C		Freeman T Potter	Mrs Rowell	Cholera Infantum	
Aug. 19	Lizzie Hickey	20	6		Stark	F	C		Odell Crotteau	Anne Paquin	Shock from etc	
24	Nellie Potter	14	8		"	F	C		Geo H Green	Mary E Murphy	Intestinal Catarrh	
Sep. 12	France Crotteau	18	8		"	F	C		Wayne Blake	Sarah Burnell	Meningetis	
18	Wm E Green	22	1		"	M	C		John Baurasseau	Rosa Matteau	Intestinal Catarrh	
15	Henry Gilbert	1	1		"	M	C				Whooping Cough	
Aug. 9	Raymond Blake	2	20		"	M	C				Cholera Infantum	
Sept. 20	Lydia Baurasseau	1	3		"	F	C					

